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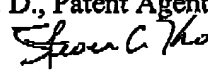
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(039143-1201)***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

Applicant: Baird et al.

Title: DESIGN, SYNTHESIS AND USE
OF SPECIFIC POLYAMIDE
DNA-BINDING LIGANDS

Appl. No.: 09/372,474

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RESPONSE TO EX PARTE QUAYLE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication dated March 31, 2005, wherein formal matters were required in accordance with practice under Ex parte Quayle, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this document.